

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

Carol Rougvie, et al.,

vs.

Ascena Retail Group, Inc., et al.

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CLASS ACTION

No. 15-724

**PLAINTIFFS' AND DEFENDANTS' JOINT MOTION FOR ORDER OF
PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT, PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATION
OF THE CLASS, APPOINTMENT OF CLASS COUNSEL, APPROVAL OF NOTICE
TO THE CLASS, AND SCHEDULING OF HEARING ON FINAL APPROVAL**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23 and for the reasons set forth in the Memorandum of Law submitted by Plaintiffs Carol Rougvie, Marguerite Sinkler Gilder, Caroline Mansour, Melinda Mehigan, Fonda Kubiak, Carol Cowhey, Kara Bell, and Tiffany Bolton ("Plaintiffs"), filed contemporaneously herewith, Plaintiffs and Defendants Tween Brands, Inc., d/b/a Justice and Ascena Retail Group, Inc. hereby jointly request preliminary approval of the nationwide class action settlement, reflected in the Settlement Agreement attached to Plaintiff's Memorandum of Law as Exhibit A and for entry of the accompanying [Proposed] Preliminary Approval Order.

WHEREFORE, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23, Plaintiffs' Motion for this relief, as set forth in the proposed order, should be GRANTED.

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Respectfully submitted,

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